

Course Code EDCE-112
SEMESTER-I
"ELEMENTARY EDUCATION"

Objectives :

1. To develop in the student teachers an understanding of the role and development of elementary education in India.
2. To develop in the student teachers proper understanding of various components of the NPE 1988 and review of NPE 1992 relating to elementary education.
3. To awakening the student teachers with the recent changes in curriculum structuring and modes of curriculum transactions.

Unit -I

- Introduction to elementary Education : the Genesis of elementary education.
- A brief history of elementary education (EE) with special reference to the area of its operation, constitutional provisions, Elementary education act of the area.
- Related concept and target group of elementary education.
- The learning need of pupils

Unit - II

- National policy on education 1986 and the revised policy of 1992 with reference to elementary education.
- Role of panchayats and local bodies in E.E.
- Role of Non-Government organization in E.E.
- Trend of Commercialization of E.E., remedies.

Unit - III

- A. Curriculum : Structure of the curriculum at E.E. level.
- B. Curriculum transaction : Activity based, experience center, learner centered, Pal-way, Joyful learning, school well come ceremony.
- C. Curriculum Adjustment and adaptation to special needs of :
 - Visually Auditory and orthopedically handicapped
 - First Generation learners and culturally deprived learners and remote rural areas and slum areas.
 - Girls education - problems and problems solving programme.
- D. Education for "all" and required variation in the curriculum.

Unit-IV Practicum :

1. Prepare the details of the history of primary education.
2. select any one of the schools and plan and implement the delightful teaching work for the std. 1 to 4.
3. Prepare a report of Welcome ceremony of your village primary schools.
4. Case study of a primary teacher awarded by National Award.
5. Visit to multi services school and report writing.
6. Planning a programme for removal of existing problems in society (village level).
7. Conducting original studies of the effectiveness of the implementation of operation Black board scheme / Nutrition programme in a locality.
8. Study of any problem connected with the introduction of English at the elementary level of education.

A survey of the availability of text books in elementary schools in a locality